ESS-KAY

Did you ever know ~~wear~~ where ESS-KAY came from. Next time you buy Ham or Lunch Meat, read the fine print you'll see Schulderburg ~~K~~wadle The innials would be S.K. But their TradeMark is ESS-KA.Y. Got it? This takes me back to 1934 + 35. This big old Closed down abondoned Factory was on about the 3700 Block of West Lumbart St. Most Adults during the Depression would send their Boys to the old Factory to cut a piece of ~~B~~ Rubber Conveyer Belt about the size of a Pillow Case. Most Fathers had a Saddle, it was a upside Metal Foot on a a Metal Stand. You could put your Shoe on upside down and + cut a pattern of Rubber. + remember my Father nailing the Sole on + doubleing it for the Heel. Every Kid for Blocks around had smoove ~~B~~ Rubber Heels + Soles through the Winter. Of Coarse we always wore our shoes out from the front from Kicking Tin Cans.